

## <u>IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE</u>

In re Application of:

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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR EMBEDDING MESSAGE DATA IN A DIGITAL IMAGE SEQUENCE

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## **Amendment**

In response to the office action mailed April 21, 2004, please amend the above-identified application, without prejudice, as set forth below:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Discussion Regarding the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.